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# INTRODUCTION

This issue of the Population and Vital Statistics Report presents 1998 and 1999 estimates of world and continental population, as well as corresponding 1998 estimates for 229 countries or areas of the world, which are listed separately in the Report. Also shown for each country or area are the results of the latest nation-wide census of population (total, male and female) and, wherever possible, nationally representative statistics of live births, deaths and infant deaths (deaths under one year of age) for the most recent year available. If a nation-wide population census has never been taken, but a sample survey has, the survey results are shown in the "Latest population census" column until census data become available.

This issue of the Population and Vital Statistics Report supersedes all previous issues, and the data contained in it are themselves subject to future revision. For more detailed data and data relating to years not shown here, readers should consult the Demographic Yearbook. 1/

Countries or areas are arranged in alphabetical order within continents.

## I. 1998 AND 1999 ESTIMATES OF WORLD AND CONTINENTAL POPULATION

The table below presents United Nations estimates of the 1998 mid-year population of the world by continental divisions, as well as provisional estimates of the 1999 mid-year population. These estimates, prepared by the Population Division of the United Nations Secretariat, are published in World Population Prospects 1998, 2/ which includes a brief discussion of the methodology used in making these estimates. It should be noted that these aggregates do not coincide exactly with the sum of the figures for individual countries or areas because they include, in addition, adjustments for overenumeration and underenumeration, or overestimation and underestimation, and data for categories of population not regularly included in the official figures. The estimates are as follows:

| | 1998 (millions) | 1999 a/ (millions) |
|---|---|---|
| Word total | 5 901 | 5 978 |
| Africa | 749 | 767 |
| North America b/ | 473 | 477 |
| South America | 336 | 341 |
| Asia c/ | 3 585 | 3 634 |
| Europe d/ | 729 | 729 |
| Oceania b/ | 30 | 30 |

a/ Provisional estimates.
b/ Hawaii, a state of the United States of America, is included in North America rather than Oceania.
c/ Including both the Asian and European portions of Turkey.
d/ Excluding the European portion of Turkey, which is included in Asia.

1/ Demographic Yearbook 1997 (United Nations publication, Sales No. E/F.99.XIII.1) and previous editions.
2/ World Population Prospects the 1998 Revision, (in press).

## II. TECHNICAL NOTES

### A. Population

Unless otherwise noted, census or survey results and estimates refer to the de facto population within the present boundaries, as described in table 3 of the Demographic Yearbook.

Latest population census. For the latest nation-wide population census, the census date and the total population enumerated are shown. If no census has been carried out recently but the results of a nation-wide sample survey are available, the survey results are shown in the census column suitably identified. Unless otherwise indicated, these data are the base from which the 1996 estimate has been constructed by the method described below under "Type of estimate".

Latest official estimate. The most recent official estimate of the total population, with reference date, is presented. In most cases, this estimate post-dates the census or survey, but if the latter is very recent, the results of the enumeration may be the latest data available, in which case they are considered to be the latest official estimate.

Mid-year 1998 estimate. Mid-year 1998 estimates of the total population are presented for each country or area of the world. These refer to 1 July. In the absence of an acceptable official mid-year figure or a mean of acceptable end-year official estimates, a mid-year estimate made by the Population Division of the United Nations Secretariat is shown. The United Nations estimates, identified in the table by a superscript "x", are taken from World Population Prospects 1998. 2/ The method by which the 1998 estimates were prepared is indicated by the code in the column headed "Type".

Type of estimate. The letter and numeral shown in the column headed "Type' 'indicate the method by which the 1998 population estimates were prepared, so far as could be ascertained. The code is composed of four parts: (I) nature of the base data, (II) recency of the base data, (III) method of the time adjustment and (IV) quality of the time adjustment. The components of the code are listed below for reference; for more detailed explanations, see section 3.2.1 of the Technical Notes in the Demographic Yearbook.

Part I. Nature of base data (capital letter)
- A Complete census of individuals
- B Sample survey
- C Partial census or partial registration of individuals
- D Conjecture
- ... Nature of base data not determined

Part II. Recency of base data (subscript numeral following capital letter)
Numeral indicates time elapsed (in years) since establishment of the base figure

Part III. Method of time adjustment (lower-case letter)
- a Adjustment by continuous population register
- b Adjustment based on calculated balance of births, deaths and migration
- c Adjustment by assumed rate of population increase
- d No adjustment; base figure held constant for at least two consecutive years
- ... Method of adjustment not determined

Part IV. Quality of adjustment for types "a" and "b" (numeral following letter "a" or "b")
- 1 Population balance adequately accounted for
- 2 Adequacy of accounting for population balance not determined but assumed to be adequate
- 3 Population balance not adequately accounted for

Quality of adjustment for type "c"(numeral following letter "c")
- 1 Two or more censuses taken at decennial intervals or less
- 2 Two or more censuses taken, but latest exceeds a decennium
- 3 One or no census taken

## B. Vital statistics

Unless otherwise noted, registered data relate to live births, deaths and infant deaths, excluding foetal deaths, in the de facto population within present boundaries as recorded in civil registers. As far as possible, the data are for live births or deaths that occurred during the given year. In some cases, however, they relate to events registered during that year, including some births or deaths that occurred in previous years, and excluding some events that occurred during the given year but are not yet registered. Data known to be tabulated on a date-of-registration basis are identified by the symbol (+).

Registered rates. Birth and death rates are the number of births or deaths reported in the specified year per thousand mid-year population. Official estimates of mid-year population are used to calculate these rates. If official estimates are not available, mid-year estimates prepared by the Population Division of the United Nations Secretariat are used. Infant mortality rates are the number of deaths of infants under one year of age per thousand live births in the same year. If official estimates of infant mortality rates are not available, estimates prepared by the Population Division of the United Nations Secretariat are used. Unless otherwise noted, the rates shown were computed by the Statistics Division of the United Nations Secretariat and rates were not computed on frequencies of less than ten (10).

Estimated rates. Estimated rates are shown in a separate column for countries or areas for which the registered vital statistics data are assessed as being less than complete. These assessments are discussed below. First priority is given to official estimates such as those from sample surveys. These are identified in the footnotes. When official estimates are not available, estimates prepared by the Population Division of the United Nations Secretariat are presented. These estimates, identified by a footnote, are from World Population Prospects 1998. 2/

Quality of registered data. Each country or area has been asked to indicate the estimated completeness of the live births, deaths and infant deaths recorded in its civil registers. These national assessments are indicated by the quality codes C, U and ... that appear in the table.

C Data estimated to be virtually complete, i.e., representing at least 90 per cent of the events occurring each year;

U Data estimated to be incomplete, i.e., representing less than 90 per cent of the events occurring each year;

... Data for which no specific information is available regarding completeness.

Additional information, when available, on the percentage of completeness of registration can be found in the relevant tables of the Demographic Yearbook. The code does not apply to estimated rates, the quality of which has not been evaluated.

## Symbols

The following symbols are used:

| | |
|---|---|
| .. | Category not applicable |
| ... | Data not available |
| – | Magnitude zero |
| 0 or 0.0 | Magnitude not zero but less than half of unit employed |
| * | Provisional |
| x | Estimate by the Population Division of the United Nations Secretariat |
| + | Data tabulated by year of registration rather than occurrence |
| # | Estimate not revised to take account of latest census or official estimate |

| No. | Continent and country or area | Population | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Latest population census | | | | Mid-year 1998 estimate (in thousands) | |
| | | Date | Total | Male | Female | Population | Type |
| | AFRICA | | | | | | |
| 1 | Algeria [1] | 25 VI 1998 | 29 276 767 * | 14 766 371 * | 14 510 396 * | 29 800 *# | A11c1 |
| 2 | Angola | 15 XII 1970 | 5 646 166 | 2 943 974 | 2 702 192 | 12 092 x | A28c1 |
| 3 | Benin | 15 II 1992 | 4 915 555 | 2 390 336 | 2 525 219 | 6 044 | A 6c3 |
| 4 | Botswana | 21 VIII 1991 | 1 326 796 | 634 400 | 692 396 | 1 572 * | A 7c1 |
| 5 | Burkina Faso | 10 XII 1996 | 10 312 609 | 4 970 882 | 5 341 727 | 10 683 * | A 2c3 |
| 6 | Burundi | 16 VIII 1990 | 5 139 073 | 2 473 599 | 2 665 474 | 6 300 * | A 8c3 |
| 7 | Cameroon | IV 1987 | 10 493 655 * | .. | .. | 14 305 x | A11c3 |
| 8 | Cape Verde | 23 VI 1990 | 341 491 | 161 494 | 179 997 | 417 * | A 8c1 |
| 9 | Central African Republic | 8 XII 1988 | 2 463 616 | 1 210 734 | 1 252 882 | 3 485 x | A10c3 |
| 10 | Chad | 8 IV 1993 | 6 279 931 [5] | .. | .. | 7 270 #x | B35c3 |
| 11 | Comoros | 15 IX 1991 | 446 817 [6] | 221 152 [6] | 225 665 [6] | 658 #x | A 7c3 |
| 12 | Congo | 22 XII 1984 | 1 843 421 | .. | .. | 2 785 x | A14c3 |
| 13 | Côte d'Ivoire | 1 III 1988 | 10 815 694 | 5 527 343 | 5 288 351 | 14 292 x | A10c3 |
| 14 | Democratic Republic of the Congo | 1 VII 1984 | 29 916 800 | 14 543 800 | 15 373 000 | 49 139 x | A14c3 |
| 15 | Djibouti | 1960 | 81 200 | .. | .. | 623 #x | A38d |
| 16 | Egypt | 19 XI 1996 | 59 312 914 | 30 351 390 | 28 961 524 | 65 9' x | A12c1 |
| 17 | Equatorial Guinea | 4 VII 1983 | 300 000 | 144 760 | 155 240 | 431 x | A15c3 |
| 18 | Eritrea | 9 V 1984 | 2 748 304 | 1 374 452 | 1 373 852 | 3 577 x | A14c3 |
| 19 | Ethiopia | 11 X 1994 | 53 477 265 | 26 910 698 | 26 566 567 | 59 882 * | A14c3 |
| 20 | Gabon | 31 VII 1993 | 1 014 976 | 501 784 | 513 192 | 1 188 * | A 5c3 |
| 21 | Gambia | 15 IV 1993 | 1 025 867 * | 514 530 | 511 337 | 1 229 #x | A 5c1 |
| 22 | Ghana | 11 III 1984 | 12 296 081 | 6 063 848 | 6 232 233 | 19 162 x | A14c1 |
| 23 | Guinea | 4 II 1983 | 4 533 240 [7]* | .. | .. | 7 337 x | A15c3 |
| 24 | Guinea-Bissau | 1 XII 1991 | 983 367 * | 476 210 * | 507 157 * | 1 161 x | A 7c1 |
| 25 | Kenya | 24 VIII 1989 | 21 443 636 | 10 628 368 | 10 815 268 | 29 008 x | A 9c2 |
| 26 | Lesotho | 12 IV 1986 | 1 447 000 * | .. | .. | 2 062 x | A12c3 |
| 27 | Liberia | 1 II 1984 | 2 101 628 * | 1 063 127 * | 1 038 501 * | 2 666 x | A14c3 |
| 28 | Libyan Arab Jamahiriya | VIII 1995 | 4 404 986 * | 2 236 943 * | 2 168 043 * | 5 339 #x | A14c3 |
| 29 | Madagascar | 1 VIII 1993 | 12 092 157 *[1] | 5 991 171 *[1] | 6 100 986 *[1] | 15 057 #x | A24c3 |
| 30 | Malawi | 1 IX 1987 | 7 988 507 | 3 867 136 | 4 121 371 | 10 346 x | A11c3 |
| 31 | Mali | 1 IV 1987 | 7 696 348 [1] | 3 760 711 [1] | 3 935 637 [1] | 10 694 x | A11c3 |
| 32 | Mauritania | 5 IV 1988 | 1 864 236 [10] | 923 175 [10] | 941 061 [10] | 2 529 x | A10c3 |
| 33 | Mauritius [11] | 1 VII 1990 | 1 056 660 | 527 760 | 528 900 | 1 160 * [1] | A 8b1 |
| 34 | Morocco | 2 IX 1994 | 25 926 000 * | 12 895 000 * | 13 031 000 * | 27 775 * | A 4c2 |
| 35 | Mozambique | 1 VIII 1997 | 16 099 246 [12] | 7 714 306 [12] | 8 384 940 [12] | 16 917 * | A 1c1 |
| 36 | Namibia | 21 X 1991 | 1 409 920 | 686 327 | 723 593 | 1 666 x | A 7c3 |
| 37 | Niger | 20 V 1988 | 7 248 100 * | 3 590 070 * | 3 658 030 * | 1 008 x | A10c3 |
| 38 | Nigeria | 26 XI 1991 | 88 992 220 | 44 529 608 | 44 462 612 | 106 409 #x | A 7c2 |
| 39 | Réunion | 15 III 1990 | 597 828 [1] | 294 256 [1] | 303 572 [1] | 682 x | A 8b3 |
| 40 | Rwanda | 15 VIII 1991 | 7 142 755 * | .. | .. | 6 604 x | A 7c3 |
| 41 | St. Helena ex. dep. | 22 II 1987 | 5 644 | 2 769 | 2 875 | 6 x | A11b3 |
| 42 | Ascension | 31 XII 1978 | 849 | 608 | 241 | .. | .. |
| 43 | Tristan da Cunha | 31 XII 1988 | 296 | 139 | 157 | 0 | .. |

For footnotes, see end of table

## LATEST AVAILABLE DATA

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**Vital Statistics**

| Births | | | | | Deaths | | | | | Infant deaths | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Year | Registered data | | | Estimated rate | Year | Registered data | | | Estimated rate | Year | Registered data | | | Estimated rate | |
| | Code | Number | Rate | | | Code | Number | Rate | | | Code | Number | Rate | | |
| 1997 *[2] | C | 676 000 [3] | 23.3 [3] | ... | 1997 *[2] | U | 178 000 [3] | 6.1 [3] | 5.6 [4] | 1997 *[2] | U | 24 073 [3] | 35.3 [3] | 44.0 [4] | 1 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 48.4 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 18.8 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 125.0 [4] | 2 |
| 1998 | .. | 274 408 | 45.4 | 41.4 [4] | 1998 | .. | 71 322 | 11.8 | 13.0 [4] | 1998 | .. | 24 422 | 89.0 | 88.0 [4] | 3 |
| 1998 * | .. | 53 245 | 32.2 | 34.0 [4] | 1998 * | .. | 16 244 | 10.7 | 14.9 [4] | 1987 | .. | 651 | 20.4 | 58.0 [4] | 4 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 46.0 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 18.6 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 99.0 [4] | 5 |
| 1998 | .. | 290 982 | 46.2 | 42.3 [4] | 1998 | .. | 115 693 | 18.4 | 19.9 [4] | 1998 | .. | 45 684 | 157.0 | 119.0 [4] | 6 |
| 1995-00 | .. | .. | ... | 39.4 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 12.4 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 74.0 [4] | 7 |
| 1998 * | C | 15 460 | 37.1 | .. | 1995 | C | 3 439 | 8.9 | ... | 1995 | C | 618 | 76.9 | .. | 8 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 37.7 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 18.7 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 98.0 [4] | 9 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 44.0 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 17.7 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 112.0 [4] | 10 |
| 1986 | .. | 24 000 | 50.4 | 36.5 [4] | 1986 | .. | 7 500 | 15.8 | 9.4 [4] | 1986 | .. | 1 375 | 57.3 | 76.0 [4] | 11 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 43.6 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 15.8 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 90.0 [4] | 12 |
| 1995 | .. | 677 000 | 47.6 | 37.3 [4] | 1994 | .. | 152 000 | 11.1 | 16.1 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 87.0 [4] | 13 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 46.2 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 14.7 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 90.0 [4] | 14 |
| 1985 | U | 5 881 | 13.7 | 37.1 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 14.8 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 106.0 [4] | 15 |
| 1995 | C | 1 604 835 | 27.9 | ... | 1995 | C | 384 548 | 6.7 | ... | 1995 | C | 47 734 | 29.7 | ... | 16 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 41.2 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 16.3 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 108.0 [4] | 17 |
| 1995-00 | .. | .. | ... | 40.7 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 14.4 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 91.0 [4] | 18 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 44.6 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 19.8 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | .. | ... | 115.0 [4] | 19 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 37.5 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 15.9 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 87.0 [4] | 20 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | .. | 40.6 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 17.4 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 122.0 [4] | 21 |
| 1980 | .. | 229 988 | 21.4 | 37.4 [4] | 1980 | .. | 33 927 | 3.2 | 9.4 [4] | 1980 | .. | 4 650 | 20.2 | 66.0 [4] | 22 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 42.1 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 17.5 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 124.0 [4] | 23 |
| 1981 | U | 8 711 | 10.9 | 42.0 [4] | 1981 | U | 1 579 | 2.0 | 19.9 [4] | 1981 | U | 982 | 112.7 | 130.0 [4] | 24 |
| 1992 | U | 326 553 | 12.7 | 34.3 [4] | 1992 | U | 111 728 | 4.3 | 12.2 [4] | 1985 | .. | 13 491 | ... | 66.0 [4] | 25 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 35.3 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 12.1 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 93.0 [4] | 26 |
| 1984 | .. | 59 472 | 28.2 | 44.2 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 16.5 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 116.0 [4] | 27 |
| 1996 | C | 90 428 | 16.2 | ... | 1996 | U | 12 512 | 2.2 | 4.6 [4] | 1996 | U | 1 578 | 17.5 | 28.0 [4] | 28 |
| 1981 | .. | 403 000 | 45.0 | 40.4 [4] | 1981 | .. | 161 000 | 18.0 | 10.8 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 82.0 [4] | 29 |
| 1987 [8] | .. | 329 144 | 43.9 | ... | 1987 [8] | .. | 112 391 | 15.0 | ... | 1977 [8] | .. | 34 808 | 130.0 | ... | 30 |
| 1987 [9] | .. | 375 117 | 48.7 | ... | 1987 [9] | .. | 96 221 | 12.5 | ... | 1987 [9] | .. | 26 731 | 71.3 | ... | 31 |
| 1995 | .. | 103 307 | 45.2 | 40.5 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 13.3 [4] | 1995 | .. | 12 015 | 116.3 | 92.0 [4] | 32 |
| 1998 + | C | 19 434 | 16.8 | ... | 1998 + | C | 7 839 | 6.8 | ... | 1998 + | C | 375 | 19.3 | ... | 33 |
| 1997 | U | 552 141 | 20.2 | 25.6 [4] | 1996 | U | 84 733 | 3.2 | 6.7 [4] | 1996 | U | 9 344 | 17.8 | 51.0 [4] | 34 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 43.5 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 18.8 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 114.0 [4] | 35 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 35.9 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 13.5 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 65.0 [4] | 36 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 48.7 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 16.9 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 115.0 [4] | 37 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 38.8 [4] | 1988 | .. | 1 679 310 | 16.0 | 14.7 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 81.0 [4] | 38 |
| 1991 [2] | C | 14 107 | 23.1 | ... | 1991 [2] | C | 3 415 | 5.6 | ... | 1991 [2] | U | 103 | 7.3 | 9.0 [4] | 39 |
| 1990 | .. | 409 000 | 57.0 | 43.3 [4] | 1990 | .. | 131 000 | 18.2 | 21.0 [4] | 1982 | .. | 3 323 | 11.0 | 124.0 [4] | 40 |
| 1996 | C | 59 | 11.6 | ... | 1996 | C | 44 | 8.6 | ... | 1996 | C | 0 | .. | ... | 41 |
| 1981 | C | 15 | 14.6 | ... | 1981 | C | 2 | .. | ... | 1981 | C | 1 | ... | ... | 42 |
| 1996 | C | 1 | .. | ... | 1996 | C | 4 | .. | ... | 1996 | C | 1 | .. | ... | 43 |

| No. | Continent and country or area | Population: Latest population census: Date | Total | Male | Female | Mid-year 1998 estimate (in thousands): Population | Type |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | **AFRICA**(continued) | | | | | | |
| 44 | Sao Tome and Principe | 4 VIII 1991 | 116 998 | 57 837 | 59 161 | 141 x | A 7c1 |
| 45 | Senegal [1] | 27 V 1988 | 6 896 808 | 3 353 599 | 3 543 209 | 9 038 * | A10c3 |
| 46 | Seychelles | 26 VIII 1994 | 74 331 | 37 128 | 37 203 | 79 #x | A 4b2 |
| 47 | Sierra Leone | 15 XII 1985 | 3 515 812 [13] | 1 746 055 [13] | 1 769 757 [13] | 4 568 x | A13c1 |
| 48 | Somalia | II 1986 | 7 114 431 * | 3 741 664 * | 3 372 767 * | 9 237 #x | A12c3 |
| 49 | South Africa [14] | 9 X 1996 | 40 583 573 | 19 520 887 | 21 062 686 | 39 357 #x | A 7c1 |
| 50 | Sudan | 15 IV 1993 | 24 940 683 * | 12 518 638 * | 12 422 045 * | 28 292 #x | A 5c3 |
| 51 | Swaziland | 1997 | 965 859 * | .. | .. | 952 x | A12c1 |
| 52 | Togo | 22 XI 1981 | 2 703 250 | ... | ... | 4 397 x | A17c1 |
| 53 | Tunisia | 20 IV 1994 | 8 785 711 * | 4 439 289 * | 4 346 422 * | 9 333 * | A 4c1 |
| 54 | Uganda | 12 I 1991 | 16 671 705 | 8 185 747 | 8 485 958 | 21 029 * | A 7c1 |
| 55 | United Rep. of Tanzania | 28 VIII 1988 | 23 057 922 | 11 184 800 | 11 873 122 | 32 102 x | A10c3 |
| 56 | Western Sahara | 31 XII 1970 | 76 425 | 43 981 | 32 444 | 275 #x | A28c1 |
| 57 | Zambia | 20 VIII 1990 | 7 383 097 | 3 617 577 | 3 765 520 | 8 781 x | A 8c1 |
| 58 | Zimbabwe | 18 VIII 1992 | 10 412 548 | 5 083 537 | 5 329 011 | 12 685 x | A 6c1 |
| | **AMERICA, NORTH** | | | | | | |
| 59 | Anguilla | 10 IV 1984 | 6 987 | 3 428 | 3 559 | 8 #x | A14b1 |
| 60 | Antigua and Barbuda | 28 V 1991 | 62 922 * | ... | ... | 67 x | A 7b1 |
| 61 | Aruba [1] | 6 X 1991 | 66 687 * | 32 821 * | 33 866 * | 94 x | A 7b1 |
| 62 | Bahamas | 1 V 1990 | 255 095 | 124 992 | 130 103 | 298 * | A 8b1 |
| 63 | Barbados | 2 V 1990 | 257 082 * | ... | ... | 266 x | A 8b1 |
| 64 | Belize | 12 V 1991 | 189 774 | 96 289 | 93 485 | 239 * | A 8c1 |
| 65 | Bermuda | 20 V 1991 | 74 837 | ... | ... | 64 x [1] | A 7b1 |
| 66 | British Virgin Islands | 12 V 1991 | 17 809 | .. | ... | 20 x | A 7b1 |
| 67 | Canada [1 15] | 14 V 1996 | 28 846 760 | 14 170 030 | 14 676 735 | 30 301 * | A 7b1 |
| 68 | Cayman Islands [1] | 15 X 1989 | 25 355 | 12 372 | 12 983 | 36 x | A 9c1 |
| 69 | Costa Rica [1] | 10 VI 1984 | 2 416 809 | 1 208 216 | 1 208 593 | 3 341 * | A14b2 |
| 70 | Cuba | 11 IX 1981 | 9 723 605 | 4 914 873 | 4 808 732 | 11 116 x | A17b1 |
| 71 | Dominica | 12 V 1991 | 71 794 * | 35 927 * | 35 867 * | 71 x | A 7b1 |
| 72 | Dominican Republic | 24 IX 1993 | 7 293 390 | 3 550 797 | 3 742 593 | 9 328 * | A 5c1 |
| 73 | El Salvador | 27 IX 1992 | 5 118 599 | 2 485 613 | 2 632 986 | 6 031 * | A 6b1 |
| 74 | Greenland [1] | 26 X 1976 | 49 630 | 26 856 | 22 774 | 56 * | A22a1 |
| 75 | Grenada | 12 V 1991 | 85 123 | 41 893 | 43 230 | 93 x | A 7b1 |
| 76 | Guadeloupe [1] | 15 III 1990 | 387 034 | 189 187 | 197 847 | 443 x | A 8b1 |
| 77 | Guatemala | 17 IV 1994 | 8 322 051 | ... | ... | 10 799 * | A 4b2 |
| 78 | Haiti [1] | 30 VIII 1982 | 5 053 792 | 2 448 370 | 2 605 422 | 7 647 * | A16c3 |
| 79 | Honduras | 29 V 1988 | 4 248 561 | 2 110 106 | 2 138 455 | 6 180 * | A10c1 |
| 80 | Jamaica | 7 IV 1991 | 2 314 479 | 1 134 386 | 1 180 093 | 2 576 x | A 7b1 |
| 81 | Martinique [1] | 15 III 1990 | 359 579 * | 173 878 * | 185 701 * | 389 x | A 8b1 |
| 82 | Mexico [1] | 12 III 1990 | 81 249 645 | 39 893 969 | 41 355 676 | 95 831 x | A 8c1 |
| 83 | Montserrat | 12 V 1991 | 10 639 | 5 290 | 5 349 | 11 x | A 7b1 |
| 84 | Netherlands Antilles [16 19] | 27 I 1992 | 189 474 | 90 707 | 98 767 | 213 x | A 6c1 |

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### Vital Statistics

| Births | | | | | Deaths | | | | | Infant deaths | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Year | Registered data | | | Estimated rate | Year | Registered data | | | Estimated rate | Year | Registered data | | | Estimated rate | |
| | Code | Number | Rate | | | Code | Number | Rate | | | Code | Number | Rate | | |
| 1993 | C | 5 254 | 43.0 | ... | 1993 | C | 1 102 | 9.0 | ... | 1993 | C | 267 | 50.8 | ... | 44 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 40.0 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 13.0 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 63.0 [4] | 45 |
| 1998 * | C | 1 412 | 17.9 | ... | 1998 * | C | 570 | 7.2 | ... | 1998 * | C | 12 | 8.5 | ... | 46 |
| 1986 | .. | 84 041 | 23.0 | 46.6 [4] | 1986 | .. | 36 889 | 10.1 | 25.9 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 170.0 [4] | 47 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 52.3 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 18.4 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 122.0 [4] | 48 |
| 1995 | .. | 809 439 | 19.6 | 27.1 [4] | 1995 | .. | 268 025 | 6.5 | 12.2 [4] | 1995 | .. | 22 865 | 28.2 | 59.0 [4] | 49 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 33.1 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 11.5 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 71.0 [4] | 50 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | .. | 38.0 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 9.2 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 65.0 [4] | 51 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 41.6 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 15.4 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 84.0 [4] | 52 |
| 1998 * | C | 164 100 | 17.6 | ... | 1998 * | U | 50 000 | 5.4 | 6.7 [4] | 1997 | U | 3 745 | 21.6 | 30.0 [4] | 53 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 51.1 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 21.7 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 107.0 [4] | 54 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 41.1 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 15.3 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 81.0 [4] | 55 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 31.4 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 8.6 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 64.0 [4] | 56 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | .. | 42.5 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 20.1 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 82.0 [4] | 57 |
| 1992 | .. | 359 286 | 34.5 | 31.5 [4] | 1992 | .. | 98 808 | 9.5 | 17.4 [4] | 1992 | .. | 20 603 | 57.3 | 69.0 [4] | 58 |
| 1993 *+ | C | 169 | 18.4 | ... | 1993 *+ | C | 59 | 6.4 | ... | 1993 *+ | C | 5 | .. | ... | 59 |
| 1997 + | C | 1 448 | 21.9 | ... | 1995 | C | 434 | 6.4 | ... | 1995 | C | 23 | 17.1 | ... | 60 |
| 1996 + | U | 1 452 | 16.9 | ... | 1996 + | U | 469 | 5.5 | ... | ... | .. | ... | ... | ... | 61 |
| 1996 | C | 5 873 | 20.7 | ... | 1996 | C | 1 537 | 5.4 | ... | 1996 | C | 108 | 18.4 | ... | 62 |
| 1996 *+ | C | 3 519 | 13.3 | ... | 1996 *+ | C | 2 400 | 9.1 | ... | 1996 *+ | C | 50 | 14.2 | ... | 63 |
| 1998 * | U | 5 986 | 25.1 | ... | 1998 * | U | 1 350 | 5.7 | ... | 1998 * | U | 144 | 24.1 | ... | 64 |
| 1996 | C | 833 | 13.9 | ... | 1996 | C | 414 | 6.9 | ... | 1996 | C | 3 | .. | ... | 65 |
| 1989 + | C | 244 | 19.5 | ... | 1989 | C | 77 | 6.1 | ... | 1988 | C | 7 | .. | ... | 66 |
| 1997 *16 | C | 361 785 | 12.1 | ... | 1997 *16 | C | 216 970 | 7.2 | ... | 1996 *16 | C | 2 051 | 5.6 | ... | 67 |
| 1995 | C | 484 | 15.6 | ... | 1996 | C | 135 | 3.9 | ... | 1994 | C | 7 | .. | ... | 68 |
| 1998 | C | 76 982 | 23.0 | ... | 1997 | C | 14 260 | 4.4 | ... | 1998 | C | 970 | 12.6 | ... | 69 |
| 1997 * | C | 152 000 | 13.7 | ... | 1996 | C | 79 654 | 7.2 | ... | 1997 * | C | 1 098 | 7.2 | ... | 70 |
| 1996 + | C | 1 419 | 19.1 | ... | 1996 + | C | 575 | 7.7 | ... | 1996 + | C | 23 | 16.2 | ... | 71 |
| 1998 *+ | U | 178 685 | 19.2 | 24.1 [4] | 1998 *+ | U | 25 278 | 2.7 | 5.3 [4] | 1998 * | U | 1 972 | 11.0 | 34.0 [4] | 72 |
| 1998 * | .. | 156 548 | 26.0 | 27.7 [4] | 1998 * | .. | 29 854 | 5.0 | 6.1 [4] | 1997 | ... | 2 710 | 16.5 | 32.0 [4] | 73 |
| 1997 | C | 1 100 | 19.5 | ... | 1997 | C | 492 | 8.7 | ... | 1997 | C | 20 | 18.2 | ... | 74 |
| 1996 + | C | 2 096 | 21.3 | ... | 1996 + | C | 782 | 7.9 | ... | 1996 + | C | 30 | 14.3 | ... | 75 |
| 1992 [2] | C | 7 310 | 17.9 | ... | 1992 [2] | C | 2 292 | 5.6 | ... | 1992 [2] | C | 76 | 10.4 | ... | 76 |
| 1995 * | C | 366 331 | 36.7 | ... | 1995 * | C | 73 096 | 7.3 | ... | 1993 | C | 17 085 | 46.2 | ... | 77 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 31.9 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 12.4 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 68.0 [4] | 78 |
| 1990 + | U | 244 162 | 51.3 | 33.5 [4] | 1990 + | U | 23 643 | 5.0 | 5.4 [4] | 1990 + | U | 2 867 | 11.7 | 35.0 [4] | 79 |
| 1997 + | C | 59 249 | 23.2 | ... | 1997 + | C | 15 967 | 6.3 | ... | 1996 + | U | 464 | 8.1 | 24.5 [17] | 80 |
| 1993 *2 | C | 5 900 | 15.6 | ... | 1993 *2 | C | 2 292 | 6.1 | ... | 1993 *2 | U | 23 | 3.9 | 7.0 [4] | 81 |
| 1997 + | U | 2 698 425 | 28.0 | 24.6 [4] | 1997 | C | 440 437 | 4.6 | ... | 1997 | U | 44 377 | 16.4 | 31.0 [4] | 82 |
| 1986 | C | 200 | 16.8 | ... | 1986 | C | 123 | 10.3 | ... | 1986 | C | 1 | .. | ... | 83 |
| 1995 [20] | C | 3 793 | 18.5 | ... | 1995 [20] | C | 1 364 | 6.7 | ... | 1989 [20] | C | 22 | 6.3 | ... | 84 |

| No. | Continent and country or area | Population | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Latest population census | | | | Mid-year 1998 estimate (in thousands) | |
| | | Date | Total | Male | Female | Population | Type |
| | **AMERICA, NORTH**(continued) | | | | | | |
| 85 | Nicaragua [1] | 25 IV 1995 | 4 357 099 | 2 147 105 | 2 209 994 | 4 807 x | A 3b3 |
| 86 | Panama | 13 V 1990 | 2 329 329 | 1 178 790 | 1 150 539 | 2 764 * | A 8c1 |
| 87 | Puerto Rico [21] | 1 IV 1990 | 3 522 037 | 1 705 642 | 1 816 395 | 3 810 x | A 8b1 |
| 88 | Saint Kitts and Nevis | 12 V 1991 | 40 618 | 19 933 | 20 685 | 39 x | A 7b1 |
| 89 | Saint Lucia | 12 V 1991 | 135 685 | 65 988 | 69 697 | 152 | A 7b1 |
| 90 | Saint-Pierre-et-Miquelon | 5 III 1990 | 6 392 | ... | ... | 7 x | A 8d |
| 91 | St. Vincent and the Grenadines | 12 V 1991 | 106 499 | 53 165 | 53 334 | 111 | A 7b1 |
| 92 | Trinidad and Tobago | 2 V 1990 | 1 169 572 | 584 445 | 585 127 | 1 283 x | A 8b1 |
| 93 | Turks and Caicos Islands | 31 V 1990 | 12 350 | 6 289 | 6 061 | 16 x | A 8d |
| 94 | United States [22] | 1 IV 1990 | 248 709 873 [23] | 121 239 418 [23] | 127 470 455 [23] | 270 561 * | A 8b1 |
| 95 | United States Virgin Islands [21 24] | 1 IV 1990 | 101 809 | 49 210 | 52 599 | 94 x | A 8c1 |
| | **AMERICA, SOUTH** | | | | | | |
| 96 | Argentina | 15 V 1991 | 32 615 528 | 15 937 980 | 16 677 548 | 36 125 * | A 7c1 |
| 97 | Bolivia [25] | 3 VI 1992 | 6 420 792 | 3 171 265 | 3 249 527 | 7 950 * | A 6c3 |
| 98 | Brazil [27] | 1 IX 1991 | 146 825 475 [1] | 72 485 122 [1] | 74 340 353 [1] | 161 790 * | A 7c1 |
| 99 | Chile | 22 IV 1992 | 13 348 401 | 6 553 254 | 6 795 147 | 14 822 * | A 6b1 |
| 100 | Colombia | 24 X 1993 | 33 109 840 * | 16 296 539 * | 16 813 301 * | 40 827 #* | A13b3 |
| 101 | Ecuador [29 30] | 25 XI 1990 | 9 648 189 | 4 796 412 | 4 851 777 | 12 175 * | A 8b3 |
| 102 | Falkland Islands (Malvinas) [31 32] | 5 III 1991 | 2 050 | 1 095 | 955 | 2 x | A 7d |
| 103 | French Guiana [1] | 15 III 1990 | 114 808 | 59 798 | 55 010 | 167 x | A 8c1 |
| 104 | Guyana | 12 V 1991 | 701 704 | 344 928 | 356 776 | 850 #x | A 7b1 |
| 105 | Paraguay [33] | 26 VIII 1992 | 4 152 588 | 2 085 905 | 2 066 683 | 5 219 * | A 6c2 |
| 106 | Peru [27 34] | 11 VII 1993 | 22 048 356 | 10 956 375 | 11 091 981 | 24 801 * | A 5c2 |
| 107 | Suriname | 1 VII 1980 | 355 240 | ... | ... | 414 x | A18c2 |
| 108 | Uruguay [36] | 22 V 1996 | 3 163 763 | 1 532 288 | 1 631 475 | 3 289 * | A 2b3 |
| 109 | Venezuela [27 37] | 20 X 1990 | 18 105 265 | 9 019 757 | 9 085 508 | 23 436 * | A 8c1 |
| | **ASIA** | | | | | | |
| 110 | Afghanistan [38 39] | 23 VI 1979 | 13 051 358 | 6 712 377 | 6 338 981 | 18 797 * | A19c3 |
| 111 | Armenia | 12 I 1989 | 3 304 776 [1] | 1 619 308 [1] | 1 685 468 [1] | 3 536 x | A 9b1 |
| 112 | Azerbaijan | 27 I 1999 | 7 953 000 *[1] | 4 119 000 *[1] | 3 834 000 *[1] | 7 665 * | A 9b1 |
| 113 | Bahrain | 16 XI 1991 | 508 037 | 294 346 | 213 691 | 643 * | A 7c1 |
| 114 | Bangladesh [42] | 11 III 1991 | 111 455 185 | 57 313 929 | 54 141 256 | 124 774 x | A 7c1 |
| 115 | Bhutan | XI 1969 | 1 034 774 | ... | ... | 2 004 x | A29c3 |
| 116 | Brunei Darussalam [43] | 7 VIII 1991 | 260 482 | 137 616 | 122 866 | 315 x | A 7c2 |
| 117 | Cambodia | 3 III 1998 | 11 437 656 | 5 511 408 | 5 926 248 | 11 426 * | A 0c3 |
| 118 | China [44] | 1 VII 1990 | 1 160 044 618 [45] | ... | ... | 1 255 698 x | A 8c3 |
| 119 | Hong Kong SAR | 15 III 1996 | 6 217 556 [46] | 3 108 107 [46] | 3 109 449 [46] | 6 687 * | A 7b2 |
| 120 | Cyprus [1] | 1 X 1992 | 602 025 [48] | 299 614 [48] | 302 411 [48] | 749 | A 6b2 |
| 121 | East Timor | 31 X 1990 | 747 750 | 386 939 | 360 811 | 857 x | A 8c1 |
| 122 | Georgia | 12 I 1989 | 5 400 841 [1] | 2 562 040 [1] | 2 838 801 [1] | 5 059 x | A 9b1 |
| 123 | India [49 50] | 1 III 1991 | 846 302 688 | 439 230 458 | 407 072 230 | 970 933 * | A 7c1 |

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| Births | | | | | Deaths | | | | | Infant deaths | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Year | Registered data | | | Estimated rate | Year | Registered data | | | Estimated rate | Year | Registered data | | | Estimated rate | |
| | Code | Number | Rate | | | Code | Number | Rate | | | Code | Number | Rate | | |
| 1990 *+ | U | 93 093 | 24.0 | 36.1 [4] | 1991 *+ | U | 12 515 | 3.1 | 5.9 [4] | 1987 + | U | 1 217 | 12.4 | 43.0 [4] | 85 |
| 1998 * | C | 61 756 | 22.3 | . | 1998 * | U | 14 036 | 5.1 | 5.1 [4] | 1998 * | U | 1 315 | 21.3 | 21.0 [4] | 86 |
| 1997 | C | 64 214 | 16.9 | .. | 1997 | C | 29 119 | 7.7 | .. | 1997 | C | 724 | 11.3 | ... | 87 |
| 1996 + | C | 833 | 19.7 | ... | 1996 + | C | 472 | 11.2 | .. | 1996 + | C | 20 | 24.0 | ... | 88 |
| 1998 * | C | 2 660 | 18.8 | .. | 1998 * | C | 973 | 6.4 | ... | 1998 * | C | 48 | 16.8 | .. | 89 |
| 1996 [2] | C | 74 | 11.1 | .. | 1996 [2] | C | 37 | 5.6 | .. | 1983 [2] | C | – | – | .. | 90 |
| 1998 *+ | C | 2 002 | 18.0 | .. | 1998 *+ | C | 813 | 7.3 | ... | 1998 *+ | C | 43 | 21.5 | ... | 91 |
| 1996 | C | 17 716 | 14.0 | ... | 1996 | C | 9 376 | 7.4 | ... | 1996 | C | 292 | 16.2 | ... | 92 |
| 1982 + | .. | 204 | 25.5 | . | 1983 + | ... | 29 | 3.2 | .. | 1982 + | ... | 5 | .. | ... | 93 |
| 1997 * | C | 3 894 970 | 14.6 | ... | 1997 * | C | 2 314 738 | 8.6 | ... | 1997 * | C | 27 691 | 7.1 | ... | 94 |
| 1993 | C | 2 529 | 24.3 | | 1993 | C | 569 | 5.5 | . | 1993 | C | 31 | 12.3 | ... | 95 |
| 1997 | C | 692 357 | 19.4 | .. | 1997 | C | 270 910 | 7.6 | .. | 1997 | C | 12 985 | 18.8 | ... | 96 |
| 1995 | U | 100 254 | 13.5 | 33.2 [4] | 1999 | U | 71 680 | 8.8 | 9.1 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 66.0 [4] | 97 |
| 1996 | U | 3 108 632 | 19.7 | 20.3 [4] | 1996 | U | 1 076 937 | 6.9 | 7.2 [4] | 1996 | U | 135 414 | 43.6 | 42.0 [4] | 98 |
| 1997 | C | 259 959 | 17.8 | .. | 1997 | C | 78 472 | 5.4 | .. | 1997 | C | 2 732 | 10.5 | ... | 99 |
| 1998 * | U | 989 071 | 24.2 | 24.5 [4] | 1996 +28 | U | 173 506 | 4.4 | 5.8 [4] | 1996 * | U | 10 402 | 10.5 | 30.0 [4] | 100 |
| 1997 | U | 169 869 | 14.2 | 25.6 [4] | 1997 | U | 52 089 | 4.4 | 6.0 [4] | 1997 | U | 5 463 | 32.2 | 46.0 [4] | 101 |
| 1992 + | C | 27 | 13.5 | . | 1992 + | C | 19 | 9.5 | ... | 1992 + | C | – | – | ... | 102 |
| 1986 [2] | C | 2 392 | 25.2 | ... | 1986 [2] | C | 491 | 5.2 | ... | 1986 [2] | C | 53 | 22.2 | ... | 103 |
| 1978 *+ | C | 23 200 | 28.3 | ... | 1984 *+ | C | 4 781 | 6.1 | ... | 1973 + | C | 1 106 | 45.9 | ... | 104 |
| 1992 | U | 37 649 | 8.5 | 31.3 [4] | 1992 | U | 9 642 | 2.2 | 5.4 [4] | 1992 | U | 758 | 20.1 | 39.0 [4] | 105 |
| 1998 *+35 | | 611 600 | 24.7 | ... | 1998 *+35 | .. | 158 500 | 6.4 | .. | 1998 *+35 | .. | 44 100 | 72.1 | ... | 106 |
| 1997 | C | 10 794 | 25.8 | ... | 1997 | C | 2 878 | 6.9 | ... | 1997 | ... | 237 | 22.0 | 29.0 [4] | 107 |
| 1998 *+ | C | 54 760 | 16.6 | ... | 1997 | C | 30 917 | 9.5 | .. | 1998 * | C | 897 | 16.4 | ... | 108 |
| 1997 *+ | C | 575 832 | 25.3 | . | 1996 + | C | 93 839 | 4.2 | ... | 1996 + | C | 10 656 | 21.4 | ... | 109 |
| 1979 [40] | .. | 627 619 | 48.1 | .. | 1979 [40] | .. | 290 974 | 22.3 | ... | 1979 [40] | .. | 113 954 | 181.6 | ... | 110 |
| 1997 [41] | C | 43 929 | 11.6 | .. | 1997 [41] | C | 23 985 | 6.3 | ... | 1997 [41] | C | 678 | 15.4 | .. | 111 |
| 1998 *[41] | C | 123 996 | 16.2 | .. | 1998 *[41] | C | 46 299 | 6.0 | ... | 1998 *[41] | C | 2 061 | 16.6 | ... | 112 |
| 1997 | U | 13 382 | 21.6 | 20.5 [4] | 1997 | U | 1 822 | 2.9 | 3.6 [4] | 1997 | U | 108 | 8.1 | 16.0 [4] | 113 |
| 1997 * | U | 3 057 000 | 24.6 | 27.6 [4] | 1997 * | U | 958 000 | 7.7 | 9.6 [4] | 1997 * | U | 202 000 | 66.1 | 79.0 [4] | 114 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 37.7 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 9.8 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 63.0 [4] | 115 |
| 1996 + | C | 7 633 | 25.0 | .. | 1996 + | C | 1 002 | 3.3 | ... | 1996 + | C | 64 | 8.4 | .. | 116 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 34.3 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 12.7 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 103.0 [4] | 117 |
| 1996 | .. | 20 620 000 | 16.5 | 16.2 [4] | 1997 | ... | 7 842 000 | 6.3 | 6.9 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 41.0 [4] | 118 |
| 1998 *[47] | C | 53 052 | 7.9 | ... | 1998 *[47] | C | 32 158 | 4.8 | ... | 1998 *[47] | C | 172 | 3.2 | ... | 119 |
| 1998 [48] | C | 8 879 | 11.5 | ... | 1998 [48] | ... | 5 432 | 7.0 | 7.3 [4] | 1998 [48] | ... | 62 | 7.0 | 8.0 [4] | 120 |
| 1995-00 | .. | .. | ... | 31.7 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | .. | ... | 15.1 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 135.0 [4] | 121 |
| 1996 [41] | C | 53 669 | 9.9 | ... | 1996 [41] | C | 34 414 | 6.4 | ... | 1996 [41] | C | 934 | 17.4 | .. | 122 |
| 1998 | .. | ... | ... | 26.4 [51] | 1998 | .. | ... | ... | 9.0 [51] | 1998 | .. | ... | ... | 72.0 [51] | 123 |

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| No | Continent and country or area | Population | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Latest population census | | | | Mid-year 1998 estimate (in thousands) | | |
| | | Date | | | Total | Male | Female | Population | Type |
| | ASIA(continued) | | | | | | | | |
| 124 | Indonesia | 31 | X | 1990 | 179 378 946 [52] | 89 463 545 [52] | 89 915 401 [52] | 204 393 * | A 8c1 |
| 125 | Iran (Islamic Republic of ) [1] | | X-XI | 1996 | 60 055 488 | 30 515 159 | 29 540 329 | 61 626 * | A 7c1 |
| 126 | Iraq | 17 | X | 1987 | 16 335 199 | 8 395 889 | 7 939 310 | 21 800 x | A11c1 |
| 127 | Israel [54 55] | 4 | XI | 1995 | 5 548 523 [1] | 2 738 175 [1] | 2 810 348 [1] | 5 963 * | A15b1 |
| 128 | Japan [56] | 1 | X | 1995 | 125 570 246 | 61 574 398 | 63 995 848 | 126 410 * | A 8b1 |
| 129 | Jordan [58] | 10 | XII | 1994 | 4 095 579 [59] | 2 135 883 [59] | 1 959 696 [59] | 6 304 x | A 4b3 |
| 130 | Kazakhstan | 2 | II | 1999 | 15 049 100 * | ... | ... | 15 073 | A 0b1 |
| 131 | Korea, Dem. People's Rep. | 31 | XII | 1993 | 21 213 378 | 10 329 699 | 10 883 679 | 23 348 x | A 5c3 |
| 132 | Korea, Republic of [60] | 1 | XI | 1995 | 44 608 726 [61] | 22 389 324 [61] | 22 219 402 [61] | 46 430 | A 3c1 |
| 133 | Kuwait | 20 | IV | 1995 | 1 575 983 | 914 324 | 661 659 | 2 027 * | A 3c1 |
| 134 | Kyrgyzstan | 12 | I | 1989 | 4 257 755 [1] | 2 077 623 [1] | 2 180 132 [1] | 4 700 x | A 9b1 |
| 135 | Lao People's Dem. Rep. | 1 | III | 1985 | 3 584 803 * | 1 757 115 * | 1 827 688 * | 5 163 x | A13c3 |
| 136 | Lebanon | 15 | XI | 1970 | 2 126 325 [63] | 1 080 015 [63] | 1 046 310 [63] | 3 191 x | B28c3 |
| 137 | Macau | 30 | VIII | 1991 | 385 089 | ... | ... | 426 * | A 7c1 |
| 138 | Malaysia | 14 | VIII | 1991 | 17 563 420 | 8 876 829 | 8 686 591 | 22 180 | A 7c2 |
| 139 | Maldives | 25 | III | 1995 | 244 814 | 124 622 | 120 192 | 271 #x | A 8c1 |
| 140 | Mongolia | 5 | I | 1989 | 2 043 400 * | ... | ... | 2 404 * | A 9c1 |
| 141 | Myanmar | 31 | III | 1983 | 35 307 913 | 17 518 255 | 17 789 658 | 44 497 x | A15c2 |
| 142 | Nepal [1] | 22 | VI | 1991 | 18 491 097 | 9 220 974 | 9 270 123 | 21 843 * | A 7c1 |
| 143 | Occupied Palestinian Territory [71 72] | 9 | XII | 1997 | 2 601 669 | 1 322 264 | 1 279 405 | .. | .. |
| 144 | Oman | 1 | XII | 1993 | 2 018 074 | ... | ... | 2 287 | A 5c3 |
| 145 | Pakistan [65] | 2 | III | 1998 | 130 579 571 * | 67 840 137 * | 62 739 434 * | 148 166 x | A17c1 |
| 146 | Philippines [1] | 1 | IX | 1995 | 68 616 536 | 34 584 170 | 34 032 366 | 75 155 * | A 8c2 |
| 147 | Qatar | | | 1997 | 522 023 | 342 459 | 179 564 | 544 * | A12c3 |
| 148 | Saudi Arabia | 27 | IX | 1992 | 16 948 388 | 9 479 973 | 7 468 415 | 20 181 x | A 6c3 |
| 149 | Singapore [67] | 30 | VI | 1990 | 2 705 115 | 1 370 059 | 1 335 056 | 3 866 * | A 8b2 |
| 150 | Sri Lanka | 17 | III | 1981 | 14 846 750 | 7 568 253 | 7 278 497 | 18 774 * | A17c1 |
| 151 | Syrian Arab Republic [68] | 3 | IX | 1994 | 13 782 315 | 7 048 906 | 6 733 409 | 15 597 * | A 4c1 |
| 152 | Tajikistan | 12 | I | 1989 | 5 092 603 [1] | 2 530 245 [1] | 2 562 358 [1] | 6 103 x | A 9b1 |
| 153 | Thailand | 1 | IV | 1990 | 54 532 300 *[1] | 27 031 200 *[1] | 27 501 100 *[1] | 61 201 * | A 8c1 |
| 154 | Turkey | 21 | X | 1990 | 56 473 035 * | 28 607 047 * | 27 865 988 * | 63 451 * | A 8c1 |
| 155 | Turkmenistan | 10 | I | 1995 | 4 483 251 | 2 225 331 | 2 257 920 | 4 859 * | A 9b1 |
| 156 | United Arab Emirates | 17 | XII | 1995 | 2 377 453 * | 1 579 743 * | 797 710 * | 2 724 * | A18c3 |
| 157 | Uzbekistan | 12 | I | 1989 | 19 810 077 [1] | 9 784 156 [1] | 10 025 921 [1] | 24 051 * | A 9b1 |
| 158 | Viet Nam | 1 | IV | 1999 | 76 324 753 *[1] | 37 519 754 *[1] | 38 804 999 *[1] | 77 562 x | A 9c3 |
| 159 | Yemen | 16 | XII | 1994 | 14 587 807 | 7 473 540 | 7 114 267 | 17 071 * | A 4c3 |
| | EUROPE | | | | | | | | |
| 160 | Albania | 12 | IV | 1989 | 3 182 400 | 1 638 900 | 1 543 500 | 3 791 * | A 9b1 |
| 161 | Andorra | | XI | 1954 | 5 664 | ... | ... | 72 x | A44c3 |
| 162 | Austria [1] | 15 | V | 1991 | 7 795 786 | 3 753 989 | 4 041 797 | 8 078 | A 7b1 |
| 163 | Belarus | 12 | I | 1989 | 10 199 709 [1] | 4 775 835 [1] | 5 423 874 [1] | 10 191 * | A 9b1 |
| 164 | Belgium [1] | 1 | III | 1991 | 9 978 681 | 4 875 982 | 5 102 699 | 10 214 | A 7b1 |

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| Births | | | | | Deaths | | | | | Infant deaths | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Year | Registered data | | | Estimated rate | Year | Registered data | | | Estimated rate | Year | Registered data | | | Estimated rate | |
| | Code | Number | Rate | | | Code | Number | Rate | | | Code | Number | Rate | | |
| 1987 * | ... | 4 884 124 | 28.4 | 22.7 [4] | 1987 * | ... | 1 344 410 | 7.8 | 7.5 [4] | 1987 * | ... | 317 468 | 65.0 | 48.0 [4] | 124 |
| 1999 | U | 1 293 191 | 20.6 | 33.5 [53] | 1999 | U | 374 838 | 6.0 | 8.3 [53] | 1999 | U | 39 183 | 30.3 | 52.0 [53] | 125 |
| 1992 | U | 502 415 | 26.4 | 36.4 [4] | 1990 | U | 76 683 | 4.4 | 8.5 [4] | 1989 | U | 16 146 | 25.2 | 95.0 [4] | 126 |
| 1998 * | C | 130 473 | 21.9 | ... | 1998 * | C | 36 876 | 6.2 | ... | 1998 * | C | 741 | 5.7 | ... | 127 |
| 1998 *57 | C | 1 206 000 | 9.5 | ... | 1998 *57 | C | 932 000 | 7.4 | ... | 1997 57 | C | 4 403 | 3.7 | ... | 128 |
| 1997 | +C | 130 633 | 21.3 | ... | 1997 | U | 13 190 | 2.2 | 4.6 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 26.0 [4] | 129 |
| 1998 *41 | C | 222 380 | 14.8 | ... | 1998 *41 | C | 154 314 | 10.2 | ... | 1998 *41 | C | 4 843 | 21.8 | ... | 130 |
| 1993 | ... | 420 576 | 18.2 | 20.9 [4] | 1993 | ... | 115 609 | 5.0 | 5.4 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 22.0 [4] | 131 |
| 1997 62 | .. | 666 633 | 14.5 | ... | 1997 62 | .. | 244 882 | 5.3 | ... | 1997 | ... | 1 690 | 2.5 | 10.0 [4] | 132 |
| 1997 * | C | 42 815 | 21.6 | ... | 1997 * | C | 3 895 | 2.0 | ... | 1996 * | C | 515 | 11.5 | ... | 133 |
| 1997 41 | C | 102 050 | 22.0 | ... | 1997 41 | C | 34 540 | 7.4 | ... | 1997 41 | C | 2 920 | 28.6 | ... | 134 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 39.6 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 13.4 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 93.0 [4] | 135 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 23.8 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 6.4 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 29.0 [4] | 136 |
| 1998 | C | 4 434 | 10.4 | ... | 1998 | C | 1 356 | 3.2 | ... | 1998 | C | 27 | 6.1 | ... | 137 |
| 1998 64 | C | 554 600 | 25.0 | ... | 1997 64 | C | 97 042 | 4.5 | ... | 1998 64 | C | 4 600 | 8.3 | ... | 138 |
| 1996 | C | 6 772 | 26.4 | ... | 1996 | C | 1 213 | 4.7 | ... | 1996 | C | 193 | 28.5 | ... | 139 |
| 1998 | .. | 49 256 | 20.5 | 23.0 [4] | 1998 | .. | 15 799 | 6.6 | 6.5 [4] | 1998 | .. | 1 680 | 34.1 | 51.0 [4] | 140 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 21.2 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 9.3 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 79.0 [4] | 141 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 34.4 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 10.9 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 83.0 [4] | 142 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | ... | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | ... | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | ... | 143 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 35.3 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 4.1 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 25.0 [4] | 144 |
| 1994 66 | .. | 3 497 399 | 27.7 | ... | 1994 66 | .. | 919 288 | 7.3 | ... | 1994 66 | .. | 351 100 | 100.4 | ... | 145 |
| 1996 | U | 1 581 168 | 22.0 | 28.6 [4] | 1996 + | U | 344 643 | 4.8 | 5.8 [4] | 1996 | U | 30 550 | 19.3 | 35.0 [4] | 146 |
| 1997 | C | 10 447 | 20.1 | ... | 1997 | C | 1 060 | 2.0 | ... | 1997 | C | 130 | 12.4 | ... | 147 |
| 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 33.8 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 4.1 [4] | 1995-00 | .. | ... | ... | 23.0 [4] | 148 |
| 1998 *+ | C | 43 838 | 11.3 | ... | 1998 *+ | C | 15 656 | 4.1 | ... | 1998 *+ | C | 184 | 4.2 | ... | 149 |
| 1998 *+ | C | 329 148 | 17.5 | ... | 1998 *+ | C | 112 657 | 6.0 | ... | 1996 + | C | 5 879 | 17.3 | ... | 150 |
| 1997 71 | U | 496 140 | 33.2 | 30.4 [4] | 1997 71 | U | 53 366 | 3.6 | 4.9 [4] | 1993 71 | U | 4 716 | 10.9 | 33.0 [4] | 151 |
| 1994 41 | C | 162 152 | 28.2 | ... | 1994 41 | C | 39 943 | 7.0 | ... | 1994 41 | C | 6 880 | 42.4 | ... | 152 |
| 1997 + | U | 897 604 | 14.8 | 20.4 [70] | 1997 + | U | 303 918 | 5.0 | 6.0 [70] | 1997 + | U | 5 172 | 5.8 | 38.8 [70] | 153 |
| 1998 *66 | .. | 1 339 000 | 21.1 | ... | 1998 *66 | .. | 402 000 | 6.3 | ... | 1998 *66 | .. | 50 750 | 37.9 | ... | 154 |
| 1998 *41 | C | 98 461 | 20.3 | ... | 1998 *41 | C | 29 628 | 6.1 | ... | 1998 *41 | C | 3 265 | 33.2 | ... | 155 |
| 1995 | ... | 48 567 | 21.0 | 18.5 [4] | 1995 | ... | 4 779 | 2.1 | 2.9 [4] | 1995 | .. | 467 | 9.6 | 16.0 [4] | 156 |
| 1997 41 | C | 602 694 | 25.6 | ... | 1997 41 | C | 137 331 | 5.8 | ... | 1997 41 | C | 13 908 | 23.1 | ... | 157 |
| 1990 * | ... | 1 980 374 | 29.9 | 22.4 [4] | 1990 * | ... | 529 600 | 8.0 | 6.8 [4] | 1990 * | ... | 91 400 | 46.2 | 38.0 [4] | 158 |
| 1990 * | ... | 577 781 | 51.2 | ... | 1990 * | .. | 239 001 | 21.2 | ... | 1990 * | ... | 76 267 | 132.0 | ... | 159 |
| 1998 | C | 60 139 | 15.9 | ... | 1998 | C | 18 250 | 4.8 | ... | 1998 | C | 903 | 15.0 | ... | 160 |
| 1998 | ... | 781 | 10.8 | ... | 1998 | ... | 235 | 3.3 | ... | 1998 | ... | 5 | .. | ... | 161 |
| 1998 | C | 81 233 | 10.1 | ... | 1998 | C | 78 339 | 9.7 | ... | 1998 | C | 400 | 4.9 | ... | 162 |
| 1998 *41 | C | 93 236 | 9.1 | ... | 1998 *41 | C | 137 433 | 13.5 | ... | 1998 *41 | C | 1 052 | 11.3 | ... | 163 |
| 1998 | C | 115 864 | 11.3 | ... | 1998 | C | 103 802 | 10.2 | ... | 1998 | C | 642 | 5.5 | ... | 164 |

| No. | Continent and country or area | Population | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Latest population census | | | | | Mid-year 1998 estimate (in thousands) | |
| | | Date | | | Total | Male | Female | Population | Type |
| | EUROPE(continued) | | | | | | | | |
| 165 | Bosnia-Herzegovina [1] | 31 | III | 1991 | 4 377 033 | 2 183 795 | 2 193 238 | 4 211 * | A 7b1 |
| 166 | Bulgaria | 4 | XII | 1992 | 8 472 724 | ... | ... | 8 257 * | A 6b1 |
| 167 | Channel Islands | 10 | III | 1996 | 143 831 [73] | 69 638 [73] | 74 193 [73] | 151 x | A 7b1 |
| 168 | Croatia [1] | 31 | III | 1991 | 4 784 265 | 2 318 623 | 2 465 642 | 4 572 * | A 7b1 |
| 169 | Czech Republic [1] | 3 | III | 1991 | 10 302 215 | 4 999 935 | 5 302 280 | 10 295 * | A 7b1 |
| 170 | Denmark [1 74] | 1 | I | 1998 | 5 294 860 * | 2 615 669 * | 2 679 191 * | 5 301 | A 7a1 |
| 171 | Estonia | 12 | I | 1989 | 1 565 662 [1] | 731 392 [1] | 834 270 [1] | 1 429 x | A 9b1 |
| 172 | Faeroe Islands [1] | 22 | IX | 1977 | 41 969 | 21 997 | 19 972 | 43 x | A21b1 |
| 173 | Finland [1] | 31 | XII | 1990 | 4 998 478 | 2 426 204 | 2 572 274 | 5 153 | A 8b1 |
| 174 | France [76] | 5 | III | 1990 | 56 634 299 [77] | 27 553 788 [77] | 29 080 511 [77] | 58 847 | A 8b1 |
| 175 | Germany [1 78] | ... | | ... | ... | ... | ... | 82 024 * | ... |
| 176 | Germany, Federal Republic of [1] | 25 | V | 1987 | 61 077 042 | 29 322 923 | 31 754 119 | ... | ... |
| 177 | Former German Democratic Rep. [1] | 31 | XII | 1981 | 16 705 635 | 7 849 112 | 8 856 523 | ... | ... |
| 178 | Gibraltar [79] | 14 | X | 1991 | 26 703 | 13 628 | 13 075 | 25 x | A 7b1 |
| 179 | Greece | 17 | III | 1991 | 10 259 900 [80] | 5 055 408 [80] | 5 204 492 [80] | 10 515 * [81] | A 7b2 |
| 180 | Holy See [81a] | 30 | IV | 1948 | 890 | 548 | 342 | 1 | D 1d |
| 181 | Hungary | 1 | I | 1990 | 10 374 823 | 4 984 904 | 5 389 919 | 10 114 | A 8b1 |
| 182 | Iceland [1] | 1 | XII | 1970 | 204 930 | 103 621 | 101 309 | 274 | A28a1 |
| 183 | Ireland | 28 | IV | 1996 | 3 626 087 | 1 800 232 | 1 825 855 | 3 705 * | A 7b2 |
| 184 | Isle of Man [1] | 14 | IV | 1996 | 71 055 | ... | ... | 74 | A 2b1 |
| 185 | Italy | 20 | X | 1991 | 59 103 833 | ... | ... | 57 588 [1] | A 7b1 |
| 186 | Latvia | 12 | I | 1989 | 2 666 567 [1] | 1 238 806 [1] | 1 427 761 [1] | 2 449 * | A 9b1 |
| 187 | Liechtenstein | 2 | XII | 1980 | 25 215 | ... | ... | 32 x | A18b1 |
| 188 | Lithuania | 12 | I | 1989 | 3 674 802 [1] | 1 738 953 [1] | 1 935 849 [1] | 3 703 * | A 9b1 |
| 189 | Luxembourg [1] | 1 | III | 1991 | 384 634 | 188 570 | 196 064 | 426 | A 7b2 |
| 190 | Malta [82] | 16 | XI | 1985 | 345 418 | 169 832 | 175 586 | 377 * | A13b2 |
| 191 | Monaco [1] | 23 | VII | 1990 | 29 972 | 14 237 | 15 735 | 33 x | A 8c1 |
| 192 | Netherlands [1] | 1 | I | 1991 | 15 010 445 [84] | 7 419 501 [84] | 7 590 944 [84] | 15 707 | A 7a1 |
| 193 | Norway [1] | 3 | XI | 1990 | 4 247 546 | 2 099 881 | 2 147 665 | 4 431 | A 8a1 |
| 194 | Poland [87] | 6 | XII | 1988 | 37 878 641 | 18 464 373 | 19 414 268 | 38 671 | A10b1 |
| 195 | Portugal [88] | 15 | IV | 1991 | 9 862 540 | 4 754 632 | 5 107 908 | 9 968 | A 7b1 |
| 196 | Republic of Moldova | 12 | I | 1989 | 4 337 592 | 2 058 160 | 2 279 432 | 3 652 | A 9b1 |
| 197 | Romania | 7 | I | 1992 | 22 810 035 | 11 213 763 | 11 596 272 | 22 503 | A 6b2 |
| 198 | Russian Federation | 12 | I | 1989 | 147 021 869 | 68 713 869 | 78 308 000 | 146 539 * | A 9b1 |
| 199 | San Marino | 30 | XI | 1976 | 19 149 | 9 654 | 9 495 | 26 x | A22a2 |
| 200 | Slovakia [1] | 3 | III | 1991 | 5 274 335 | 2 574 061 | 2 700 274 | 5 391 * | A 7b1 |
| 201 | Slovenia [1] | 31 | III | 1991 | 1 965 986 | 952 611 | 1 013 375 | 1 983 | A 7b1 |
| 202 | Spain | 1 | III | 1991 | 39 433 942 | 19 338 083 | 20 095 859 | 39 371 * [1] | A 7c1 |
| 203 | Svalbard and Jan Mayen Islands [89] | 1 | XI | 1960 | 3 431 | 2 545 | 886 | ... | ... |
| 204 | Sweden [1] | 1 | XI | 1990 | 8 587 353 | 4 242 351 | 4 345 002 | 8 854 * | A 8a1 |
| 205 | Switzerland [1] | 4 | XII | 1990 | 6 873 687 | 3 390 212 | 3 483 475 | 7 098 * | A 8b1 |
| 206 | Former Yugoslav Rep. of Macedonia | 20 | VI | 1994 | 1 949 644 | ... | ... | 1 999 x | A 7b1 |
| 207 | Ukraine | 12 | I | 1989 | 51 452 034 [1] | 23 745 108 [1] | 27 706 926 [1] | 50 500 | A 9b1 |

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| Births | | | | | Deaths | | | | | Infant deaths | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Year | Registered data | | | Estimated rate | Year | Registered data | | | Estimated rate | Year | Registered data | | | Estimated rate | |
| | Code | Number | Rate | | | Code | Number | Rate | | | Code | Number | Rate | | |
| 1991 | C | 64 769 | 14.8 | ... | 1991 | C | 31 411 | 7.2 | ... | 1991 | C | 952 | 14.7 | ... | 165 |
| 1998 | C | 65 360 | 7.9 | .. | 1998 | C | 118 193 | 14.3 | ... | 1998 | C | 943 | 14.4 | ... | 166 |
| 1994 | C | 1 818 | 12.4 | . | 1994 | C | 1 427 | 9.7 | .. | 1994 | C | 5 | .. | .. | 167 |
| 1997 | C | 55 501 | 12.1 | .. | 1997 | C | 51 964 | 11.4 | .. | 1997 | C | 457 | 8.2 | ... | 168 |
| 1998 * | C | 90 535 | 8.8 | ... | 1998 * | C | 109 527 | 10.6 | ... | 1998 * | C | 472 | 5.2 | ... | 169 |
| 1998 * | C | 66 162 | 12.5 | ... | 1998 * | C | 58 490 | 11.0 | ... | 1998 * | C | 308 | 4.7 | ... | 170 |
| 1998 | C | 12 269 | 8.5 | .. | 1998 | C | 19 446 | 13.6 | ... | 1998 | C | 114 | 9.3 | ... | 171 |
| 1995 | C | 638 | 13.6 | .. | 1995 | C | 361 | 7.7 | ... | 1990 | C | 6 | .. | ... | 172 |
| 1998 [75] | C | 57 108 | 11.1 | .. | 1998 [75] | C | 49 262 | 9.6 | .. | 1998 [75] | C | 239 | 4.2 | ... | 173 |
| 1998 * | C | 740 300 | 12.6 | . | 1998 * | C | 540 400 | 9.2 | ... | 1998 * | C | 3 540 | 4.8 | ... | 174 |
| 1998 * | C | 797 541 | 9.7 | .. | 1998 * | C | 851 412 | 10.4 | ... | 1998 * | C | 3 667 | 4.6 | ... | 175 |
| 1992 | C | 718 730 | 11.1 | .. | 1992 | C | 694 155 | 10.7 | ... | 1990 | C | 5 076 | 7.0 | ... | 176 |
| 1992 | C | 87 030 | 5.5 | .. | 1992 | C | 187 083 | 11.9 | ... | 1989 | C | 1 508 | 7.6 | ... | 177 |
| 1997 | C | 427 | 15.7 | ... | 1997 | C | 263 | 9.7 | ... | 1976 | C | 5 | .. | ... | 178 |
| 1998 * | C | 99 000 | 9.4 | . | 1998 * | C | 99 500 | 9.5 | .. | 1998 * | C | 600 | 6.1 | ... | 179 |
| 1986 | | – | – | ... | 1986 | . | 1 | .. | ... | 1978 | ... | – | – | ... | 180 |
| 1998 | C | 97 301 | 9.6 | ... | 1998 | C | 140 870 | 13.9 | ... | 1998 | C | 944 | 9.7 | ... | 181 |
| 1998 * | C | 4 178 | 15.3 | .. | 1998 * | C | 1 821 | 6.7 | ... | 1998 * | C | 11 | 2.6 | ... | 182 |
| 1998 + | C | 53 551 | 14.5 | ... | 1998 + | C | 31 352 | 8.5 | ... | 1997 + | C | 324 | 6.2 | ... | 183 |
| 1996 + | C | 835 | 11.6 | . | 1996 + | C | 948 | 13.2 | ... | 1996 + | C | 2 | .. | ... | 184 |
| 1998 * | C | 532 843 | 9.3 | ... | 1998 * | C | 576 911 | 10.0 | ... | 1997 * | C | 2 909 | 5.5 | ... | 185 |
| 1998 * | C | 18 540 | 7.6 | .. | 1998 * | C | 33 970 | 13.9 | ... | 1998 * | C | 275 | 14.8 | ... | 186 |
| 1997 | C | 435 | 13.9 | ... | 1997 | C | 230 | 7.4 | ... | 1997 | C | 8 | .. | ... | 187 |
| 1998 * | C | 37 508 | 10.1 | ... | 1998 * | C | 40 792 | 11.1 | ... | 1998 * | C | 344 | 9.2 | ... | 188 |
| 1998 | C | 5 386 | 12.6 | ... | 1998 | C | 3 901 | 9.1 | ... | 1998 | C | 27 | 5.0 | ... | 189 |
| 1998 * | C | 4 488 | 11.9 [83] | ... | 1998 * | C | 3 044 | 8.1 [83] | ... | 1998 * | C | 27 | 6.0 | ... | 190 |
| 1983 * | ... | 529 | 19.6 | .. | 1983 | ... | 448 | 16.6 | ... | 1983 | ... | 2 | .. | ... | 191 |
| 1998 [85] | C | 199 408 | 12.7 | ... | 1998 [85] | C | 137 482 | 8.8 | ... | 1998 [85] | C | 1 035 | 5.2 | ... | 192 |
| 1998 * | C | 58 272 | 13.1 | ... | 1998 *[86] | C | 44 257 | 10.0 | ... | 1997 | C | 247 | 4.1 | ... | 193 |
| 1998 | C | 395 619 | 10.2 | ... | 1998 | C | 375 354 | 9.7 | ... | 1998 | C | 3 771 | 9.5 | ... | 194 |
| 1998 * | C | 113 510 | 11.4 | ... | 1998 * | C | 106 382 | 10.7 | ... | 1998 * | C | 950 | 8.4 | ... | 195 |
| 1998 [41] | C | 41 332 | 11.3 | ... | 1998 [41] | C | 39 922 | 10.9 | ... | 1998 [41] | C | 738 | 17.9 | ... | 196 |
| 1998 | C | 237 297 | 10.5 | ... | 1998 | C | 269 166 | 12.0 | ... | 1998 | C | 4 868 | 20.5 | ... | 197 |
| 1998 *[41] | C | 1 285 548 | 8.8 | ... | 1998 *[41] | C | 1 990 595 | 13.6 | ... | 1998 *[41] | C | 21 124 | 16.4 | ... | 198 |
| 1997 + | C | 287 | 11.1 | ... | 1997 + | C | 178 | 6.9 | ... | 1997 + | C | – | – | ... | 199 |
| 1998 * | C | 57 582 | 10.7 | ... | 1998 * | C | 53 156 | 9.9 | ... | 1998 * | C | 506 | 8.8 | ... | 200 |
| 1998 | C | 17 856 | 9.0 | ... | 1998 | C | 19 039 | 9.6 | ... | 1998 | C | 89 | 4.7 | ... | 201 |
| 1998 * | C | 364 739 | 9.3 | ... | 1998 * | C | 350 737 | 8.9 | ... | 1998 | C | 2 008 | 5.5 | ... | 202 |
| ... | .. | ... | ... | ... | ... | .. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 203 |
| 1998 * | C | 88 384 | 10.0 | .. | 1998 * | C | 92 891 | 10.5 | ... | 1997 | C | 326 | 3.6 | ... | 204 |
| 1997 * | C | 79 485 | 11.2 | ... | 1997 * | C | 59 967 | 8.5 | ... | 1997 * | C | 358 | 4.5 | ... | 205 |
| 1997 | C | 29 478 | 14.8 | ... | 1997 | C | 16 596 | 8.3 | ... | 1997 | C | 463 | 15.7 | ... | 206 |
| 1998 *[41] | C | 419 238 | 8.3 | ... | 1997 [41] | C | 754 151 | 14.9 | ... | 1998 *[41] | C | 5 423 | 12.9 | ... | 207 |

| No. | Continent and country or area | Population | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Latest population census | | | | Mid-year 1998 estimate (in thousands) | |
| | | Date | Total | Male | Female | Population | Type |
| | EUROPE(continued) | | | | | | |
| 208 | United Kingdom [90] | 21 IV 1991 | 56 352 200 * | ... | ... | 58 649 x | A 7b1 |
| 209 | Yugoslavia [1] | 31 III 1991 | 10 394 026 | 5 157 120 | 5 236 906 | 10 616 * | A 7b1 |
| | OCEANIA | | | | | | |
| 210 | American Samoa [22] | 1 IV 1990 | 46 773 | 24 023 | 22 750 | 63 x | A 8b1 |
| 211 | Australia [91] | 30 VI 1991 | 16 850 540 | 8 362 815 | 8 487 725 | 18 751 * [1] | A 7b1 |
| 212 | Cook Islands [92] | 1 XII 1996 | 19 103 | 9 842 | 9 261 | 17 | A 7b1 |
| 213 | Fiji | 25 VIII 1996 | 775 077 * | 393 931 * | 381 146 * | 796 x | A 2b1 |
| 214 | French Polynesia [93] | 3 IX 1996 | 219 521 | ... | ... | 224 x | A 10c1 |
| 215 | Guam [21] | 1 IV 1990 | 133 152 | 70 945 | 62 207 | 149 * | A 8b1 |
| 216 | Kiribati [94] | 7 XI 1995 | 77 658 | 38 478 | 39 180 | 81 x | A 3c1 |
| 217 | Marshall Islands | 13 XI 1988 | 43 380 | 22 181 | 21 199 | 63 * | A 10c1 |
| 218 | Micronesia, Federated States of | 18 IX 1994 | 105 506 | 53 923 | 51 583 | 114 x | A 4c1 |
| 219 | Nauru | 17 IV 1992 | 9 919 * | ... | ... | 11 x | A 6d |
| 220 | New Caledonia [95] | 4 IV 1989 | 164 173 | 83 862 | 80 311 | 204 * | A 9c1 |
| 221 | New Zealand | 5 III 1996 | 3 618 303 | 1 777 464 | 1 840 839 | 3 791 [1] | A 7b1 |
| 222 | Niue | 17 VIII 1997 | 2 088 * | 1 053 | 1 035 | 2 x | A 1d |
| 223 | Norfolk Island | 30 VI 1986 | 2 367 | 1 170 | 1 197 | 2 x | A 12d |
| 224 | Northern Mariana Islands | 1 IV 1990 | 43 345 | ... | ... | 70 #x | A 8c1 |
| 225 | Palau | 9 IX 1995 | 17 225 | ... | ... | 19 x | A 3c1 |
| 226 | Papua New Guinea [96] | 11 VII 1990 | 3 761 954 | ... | ... | 4 600 * | A 8c3 |
| 227 | Pitcairn | 1991 | 66 | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 228 | Samoa | 5 XI 1991 | 161 298 * | ... | ... | 168 * | A 7c1 |
| 229 | Solomon Islands | 23 XI 1986 | 285 176 | 147 972 | 137 204 | 417 x | A 12c1 |
| 230 | Tokelau | 1991 | 1 577 | .. | ... | 1 x | A 7b1 |
| 231 | Tonga | 30 XI 1996 | 97 784 | 49 615 | 48 169 | 98 x | A 2c1 |
| 232 | Tuvalu | 17 XI 1991 | 9 043 | 4 376 | 4 667 | 11 x | A 7c1 |
| 233 | Vanuatu | 16 V 1989 | 142 944 | 73 674 | 69 270 | 182 x | A 9c1 |
| 234 | Wallis and Futuna Islands | 1990 | 13 705 | ... | ... | 14 x | A 8c1 |

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### Vital Statistics

| Births | | | | | Deaths | | | | | Infant deaths | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Year | Registered data | | | Estimated rate | Year | Registered data | | | Estimated rate | Year | Registered data | | | Estimated rate | |
| | Code | Number | Rate | | | Code | Number | Rate | | | Code | Number | Rate | | |
| 1997 * | C | 725 800 | 12.3 | ... | 1997 * | C | 629 554 | 10.7 | ... | 1997 * | C | 4 284 | 5.9 | ... | 208 |
| 1998 * | C | 119 896 | 11.3 | ... | 1998 * | C | 111 752 | 10.5 | ... | 1998 * | C | 1 516 | 12.6 | ... | 209 |
| 1993 | C | 1 998 | 37.8 | ... | 1993 | C | 223 | 4.2 | ... | 1993 | C | 22 | 11.0 | .. | 210 |
| 1998 * | C | 249 283 | 13.3 | ... | 1998 * | C | 127 952 | 6.8 | ... | 1998 * | C | 1 251 | 5.0 | ... | 211 |
| 1998 *+ | C | 386 | 22.2 | ... | 1998 *+ | C | 101 | 5.8 | ... | 1998 *+ | C | 8 | .. | ... | 212 |
| 1998 *+ | C | 17 276 | 21.7 | ... | 1998 *+ | C | 5 336 | 6.7 | ... | 1995 *+ | C | 271 | 12.9 | ... | 213 |
| 1997 | ... | 4 716 | 21.2 | 23.5 [4] | 1997 | ... | 1 073 | 4.8 | 4.7 [4] | 1997 | ... | 36 | 7.6 | 11.0 [4] | 214 |
| 1995 | C | 4 190 | 28.1 | ... | 1995 * | C | 625 | 4.2 | ... | 1995 * | C | 38 | 9.1 | ... | 215 |
| ... | .. | ... | ... | ... | ... | .. | ... | ... | ... | ... | .. | ... | ... | ... | 216 |
| 1997 | C | 1 607 | 26.4 | ... | 1997 | C | 243 | 4.0 | ... | 1997 | C | 49 | 30.5 | ... | 217 |
| 1995 | ... | 2 495 | 23.7 | ... | 1995 | ... | 421 | 4.0 | ... | 1995 | ... | 51 | 20.4 | ... | 218 |
| 1995 | C | 203 | 18.8 | ... | 1995 | C | 49 | 4.5 | ... | 1995 | C | 5 | . | .. | 219 |
| 1998 | C | 4 352 | 21.3 | ... | 1998 | C | 982 | 4.8 | ... | 1998 | C | 30 | 6.9 | ... | 220 |
| 1998 + | C | 57 818 | 15.3 | ... | 1998 + | C | 26 206 | 6.9 | ... | 1998 + | C | 305 | 5.3 | ... | 221 |
| 1987 + | ... | 50 | 20.9 | ... | 1987 | ... | 13 | 5.4 | ... | 1987 | ... | – | – | ... | 222 |
| 1995 | C | 20 | 11.2 | ... | 1995 | C | 15 | 8.4 | ... | 1981 | C | – | – | ... | 223 |
| 1989 | U | 989 | 25.4 | ... | 1989 | U | 122 | 3.1 | ... | 1989 | U | 2 | .. | ... | 224 |
| 1988 | U | 292 | 19.5 | ... | 1994 | U | 116 | 6.8 | ... | 1994 | U | 10 | 28.1 | ... | 225 |
| 1987 * | ... | 122 240 | 35.1 | 32.0 [4] | 1987 * | ... | 42 540 | 12.2 | 9.8 [4] | 1987 * | ... | 2 335 | 19.1 | 61.0 [4] | 226 |
| 1997 | C | 1 | ... | ... | 1997 | C | – | – | ... | 1997 | C | – | – | ... | 227 |
| 1996 * | U | 4 966 | 29.9 | 31.0 [97] | 1998 * | U | 531 | 3.2 | 7.4 [97] | 1994 * | U | 11 | 3.5 | 33.0 [97] | 228 |
| 1986 | ... | 0 | ... | 42.0 [98] | 1986 | ... | 0 | ... | 10.0 [98] | ... | .. | ... | ... | ... | 229 |
| 1983 * | ... | 35 | 21.9 | ... | 1983 * | ... | 8 | ... | ... | 1983 * | ... | 1 | .. | ... | 230 |
| 1997 | ... | 2 700 | 27.5 | ... | 1997 | ... | 467 | 4.8 | ... | 1997 | ... | 15 | 5.6 | ... | 231 |
| 1991 | C | 269 | 29.9 | ... | 1991 | C | 85 | 9.4 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 232 |
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**Footnotes:**

1 Population is de jure.

2 Excluding live-born infants dying before registration of birth.

3 For Algerian population only.

4 Estimated rate is for 1995 - 2000 and was prepared by the Population Division of the United Nations Secretariat.

5 Including an adjustment for underenumeration, estimated at 1.4 per cent.

6 Excluding Mayotte.

7 Excluding an adjustment for underenumeration.

8 For births and deaths, based on the results of the population census of 1987. For infant deaths, based on the results of the population census of 1977.

9 Based on the results of the population census of 1987.

10 Including nomads, estimated at 224,095.

11 Excluding Agalega and St. Brandon.

12 Census result excludes and estimates include adjustment for underenumeration, estimated at 5.1 per cent at 1997 census.

13 Including an adjustment for underenumeration, estimated at 9 per cent at 1985 census.

14 Census result includes an adjustment for underenumeration, estimated at 6.8 per cent at 1996 census.

15 Census result excludes and estimates include adjustment for underenumeration, estimated at 2.82 per cent at 1991 census.

16 Including Canadian residents temporarily in the United States, but excluding United States residents temporarily in Canada.

17 Based on the results of the 1993 survey.

18 De jure population, comprising Bonaire, Curacao, Saba, St. Eustatius and part of St. Martin.

19 Census result excludes and estimates include adjustment for underenumeration, estimated at 2.0 per cent at 1981 census.

20 Including residents outside the islands if listed in the population register of the Netherlands Antilles. Including live-born infants dying before registration of birth. Excluding St. Eustatius.

21 Population is de jure but includes armed forces stationed in the area.

22 Population is de jure but excludes civilian citizens absent from country for extended period of time.

23 Excluding armed forces overseas.

24 Comprising St. Croix, St. John and St. Thomas.

25 Census result excludes and estimates include adjustment for underenumeration, estimated at 6.92 per cent at 1992 census.

26 Note suppressed.

27 Excluding Indian jungle population.

28 Based on burial permits.

**(Footnotes, continued)**

29 Excluding nomadic Indian tribes.

30 Census result excludes and estimates include adjustment for underenumeration, estimated at 6.29 per cent at 1990 census.

31 Excluding dependencies, of which South Georgia had an estimated population of 499 in 1964.

32 A dispute exists between the Governments of Argentina and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland concerning sovereignty over the Falkland Islands (Malvinas).

33 Census result excludes and estimates include adjustment for enumeration, estimated at 7.40 per cent at 1992 census.

34 Census result excludes and estimates include adjustment for underenumeration, estimated at 2.35 per cent at 1993 census.

35 Including an upward adjustment for under-registration.

36 Census result excludes and estimates include adjustment for underenumeration, estimated at 2.6 per cent at 1985 census.

37 Census result excludes and estimates include adjustment for underenumeration, estimated at 6.7 per cent at 1990 census.

38 Excluding nomads.

39 Census result excludes and estimates include adjustment for underenumeration, estimated at 5.0 per cent for urban population and 10.0 per cent for rural population, at 1979 census.

40 Based on the results of the population census of 1979.

41 Excluding infants born alive after less than 28 weeks" gestation, of less than 1,000 grammes in weight and 35 centimetres in length, who die within seven days of birth.

42 Census result and estimates include adjustment for underenumeration, estimated at 3.08 per cent at 1991 census.

43 Census result excludes and estimates include adjustment for underenumeration, estimated at 1.06 per cent at 1981 census. Population excludes transients afloat.

44 For statistical purposes, the data for China do not include Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (Hong Kong SAR).

45 This total population of China, as given in the communique of the State Statistical Bureau releasing the major figures of the census, includes a population of 6,130,000 for Hong Kong and Macau and excludes Taiwan province.

46 Including 83,093 transients and 21,150 Vietnamese refugees.

47 Excluding Vietnamese refugees.

48 Government controlled areas only.

49 Including the Indian-held part of Jammu and Kashmir, the final status of which has not yet been determined (area of this par was 138,995 sq km and population was 5,987,389 at 1981 census).

50 Census result excludes and estimates include adjustment for underenumeration, estimated at 1.5 per cent at 1991 census.

51 Based on a sample registration scheme.

52 Figures provided by Indonesia include East Timor, shown separately above.

53 Estimated by the Statistical Centre of Iran.

54 Including data for East Jerusalem and Israeli residents in certain other territories under occupation by Israeli military forces since June 1967.

55 Census result excludes and estimates include adjustment for underenumeration, estimated at 1.5 per cent at 1983 census.

**(Footnotes, continued)**

56 Excluding diplomatic personnel outside the country and foreign military and civilian personnel and their dependants stationed in the area.

57 For Japanese nationals in Japan only.

58 Including military and diplomatic personnel and their families abroad, numbering 933 at 1961 census; excluding foreign military and diplomatic personnel and their families in the country, numbering 389 at 1961 census. Also including registered Palestinian refugees, numbering 722,687 on 31 May 1967.

59 Excluding Jordanian territory under occupation since June 1967 by Israeli military forces.

60 Excluding alien armed forces, civilian aliens employed by the armed forces and foreign diplomatic personnel and their dependants.

61 Including 28,834 foreigners.

62 Based on the results of the continuous demographic sample survey.

63 Based on results of a sample survey, excluding Palestinian refugees in camps.

64 For Peninsular Malaysia, excluding deaths of live-born infants dying before registration of birth.

65 Excluding Jammu and Kashmir, the final status of which has not yet been determined (total area 222,802 sq km, of which 83,80 sq km held in Pakistan). Also excluded are Junagardh, Manavadar, Gilgit and Baltistan.

66 Based on the results of the Population Demographic Survey.

67 Population excludes transients afloat and non-locally domiciled military and civilian services personnel and their dependant and visitors, numbering 5,553, 5,187 and 8,985, respectively, at 1980 census.

68 Population includes Palestinian refugees, numbering 193,000 on 1 July 1977.

69 Births and deaths registered within one month of occurrence. Excluding births and deaths among Palestinian refugees and nomad population; however, rates computed on total population.

70 Based on the results of the 1989 Population Survey.

71 The figures were received from the Palestinian Authority and refer to the Palestinian population.

72 Census result excludes an estimate for underenumeration estimated at 2.4 per cent.

73 Excluding visitors.

74 Excluding Faeroe Islands and Greenland, shown separately.

75 Including nationals temporarily outside the country.

76 Excluding Overseas Departments, namely, French Guiana, Guadeloupe, Martinique and Reunion, shown separately. Population is de jure but excludes diplomatic personnel outside country and includes foreign diplomatic personnel not living in embassies or consulates.

77 Excluding military personnel stationed outside country who do not have a personal residence in France.

78 Through accession of the German Democratic Republic to the Federal Republic of Germany with effect from 3 October 1990, the two Germany States have united to form one sovereign State. As from the date of unification, the Federal Republic of Germany acts in the United Nations under the designation "Germany".

79 Excluding armed forces.

80 Including armed forces stationed outside country, but excluding alien armed forces stationed in the area.

81 Excluding armed forces stationed outside country, but including alien armed forces stationed in the area.

81a Data refer to the Vatican City State.

**(Footnotes, continued)**

82 Population includes civilian nationals temporarily outside country.

83 Computed on population including civilian nationals temporarily outside country.

84 Based on a compilation of continuous accounting and sample surveys.

85 Including residents outside the country if listed in a Netherlands population register.

86 Including deaths of residents temporarily abroad.

87 Population excludes civilian aliens within country and includes civilian nationals temporarily outside country.

88 Including the Azores and Madeira Islands.

89 Norwegian population included in the de jure population of Norway.

90 Excluding Channel Islands and Isle of Man, shown separately.

91 Census result excludes and estimates include adjustment for underenumeration, estimated at 1.9 per cent at 1991 census.

92 Excluding Niue (shown separately), which is part of Cook Islands, but because of remoteness, is administered separately.

93 Comprising Austral, Gambier, Marquesas, Rapa, Society and Tuamotu Islands.

94 Including Christmas, Fanning, Ocean and Washington Islands, and the Phoenix Islands group except Canton and Enderbury Island.

95 Including the islands of Huon, Chesterfield, Loyalty, Walpole, and Belep Archipelago.

96 Comprising the eastern part of the island of New Guinea, the Bismarck Archipelago, Bougainville and Buka of the Solomon Islands group and about 600 smaller islands.

97 For 1982-1983; based on the results of a sample survey.

98 Based on the 1986 census.

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